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Re: Applicant: Zappala
Serial No.: 10/734070
Filed: March 30, 2001
For: Preemptive Analgesic Agent and Methods of Use
Examiner: Donna Jagoe
Group: 1614
Docket No. 16865-00019

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a Response to the Communication mailed on October 26, 2005, in the subject application. Please note that the applicant's representative's Docket Number for this matter is 16865-00019, *not*, 16865-00012. It would be greatly appreciated if this change would be reflected in the U.S.P.T.O. system. Thank you.

If for any reason this Response is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned in Worcester, Massachusetts (508) 791-8500.

If any payment during prosecution is found to be insufficient or if any overpayment is found, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to my deposit account number 50-1582. A copy of this letter is enclosed for use by the Finance Branch in the event that it is necessary to make any charge or credit to my deposit account.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of the foregoing by returning the enclosed self-addressed postcard.

Sincerely,

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